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REQUEST FOR AGENCY PARTICIPATION IN THE REVIEW OF THE AVENAL ENERGY APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION (08-AFC-1) – SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

On March 27, 2008, the California Energy Commission received a supplement to the Avenal Energy Application for Certification (AFC). This supplement to the AFC provides additional information required by the Energy Commission's data adequacy regulations.

On February 21, 2008, Avenal Power Center, LLC (Avenal Power) filed an Application for Certification (AFC) for the Avenal Energy project (Avenal Energy). Avenal Power is seeking Energy Commission approval to construct and operate a 600 megawatt combined-cycle power plant in the City of Avenal in Kings County under the Energy Commission's standard 12-month power plant licensing process. On April 16, 2008, the Energy Commission found that, with the supplement, the application is complete.

As part of our review process, the Energy Commission staff work closely with local, state and federal agencies to ensure that all laws, ordinances, regulations and standards are addressed in the final decision of the California Energy Commission. Your agency's preliminary and final determinations regarding the project's compliance with requirements administered by your agency are due by **August 14, 2008** (120 days) and **October 13, 2008** (180 days), respectively.

Enclosed is a copy (CD) of the AFC supplement in electronic format. If you would like to have a hard copy of the AFC supplement sent to you, or if you have questions on how to participate in the Energy Commission's review of the proposed project, please contact Christopher Meyer, Project Manager, at (916) 653-1639, or by email at cmeyer@energy.state.ca.us. The status of the proposed project, copies of notices, electronic version of the AFC, and other relevant documents are also available on the Energy Commission's Internet web site at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/avenal>. You can also subscribe to receive e-mail notification of all notices at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/listservers>.

Sincerely,

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